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Behavior of La. Judge Is Censured by Court

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 9 (UPI)—The Louisiana Supreme Court has upheld a judiciary commission's vote to censure a muincipal judge who flipped a coin to determine verdicts.

In a unanimous decision handed down Monday, the high court officially disapproved of Baton Rouge Judge William H. (Hawk) Daniel's courtroom behavior, which included determining the guilt or innocence of a defendant by the toss of a coin. The censure has no practical effect.